

## CORINTH.

George and Otis Hastings, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Hastings, are home from Bay Path Institute, School of Business Training in Springfield, Mass., where they are attending school. The Christmas holidays at Bay Path Institute are for one week only. Owing to the fact that the students are fitting themselves for business positions, this is the only vacation which is granted during the school year, and this Christmas recess is made up by Saturday sessions during January. January 2, when the school opens, there will be a New Year's party given at the school for the students and their friends.

## EAST CORINTH

Miss Susie T. Tophin is on the sick list, at B. P. Boyces, a nurse from Woodsville is caring for her.

But for quick work and the use of extinguishers what might have been quite a disastrous fire Saturday morning, was stopped, at C. C. Pucks house, when fire was discovered in the petition. It had got under such headway that fire was coming out the roof. All the furniture was removed and quite a bit of damage was done to the building, which is being repaired as fast as possible.

The minstrel show Dec. 20 was well attended and enjoyed by all. The darkies were out in full force and gave us a fine entertainment. About \$40 was added to the baseball fund.

Christmas was observed this year by a Pageant, "The Messenger" and a tree in the Community Hall, Saturday evening.

The village was shocked Thursday morning Dec. 21 to hear of the sudden death of R. D. Rowland, being found dead by Mrs. Rowland in bed. He retired and was up around at 2:30 A. M., apparently in good health, but the call came sudden and he apparently passed on without a struggle.

Mr. Rowland was 76 years old. His funeral was held from his late home, Sunday, Rev. M. Semet officiating. He leaves a wife, two daughters, and son.

## CORINTH CORNER

W. E. Woodcock, our genial mail carrier, was reminded Christmas day that the many patrons whom he has delivered mail to through so many years appreciated the numerous favors he has rendered them and the highly satisfactory service he has given, contending with great extremes in weather and at times, very bad roads. They hope that he will see fit to continue to look after the most important thing in the community life, for many more years.

Mrs. Ethel Cornish of Bridgeport, Conn. is passing the Christmas season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blake.

Miss Fannie Cilley, who has been assisting Mrs. Chas. Burroughs for several weeks is passing Christmas week with her sister, Mrs. Smith of Pike Hill and Mrs. Geo. Burroughs of West Corinth is assisting Mrs. Chas. Burroughs during her absence.

Mrs. Will Johnson of Barre and master Kenneth are spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McGrillis.

Mr. Perle Burroughs of St. Johnsbury, Mrs. Kidder of West Corinth, and Mrs. Truman Spear and Mr. Almon Burgess of Chelsea were Sunday visitors at Mrs. Chas. Burroughs.

Dr. Marshall of Chelsea was called one day last week to attend little Edith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David McLeod.

## TOPSHAM

Rev. Ernest Ralston of Salem, N. Y. will preach at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday the 31st, at 11 o'clock.

Frank Smith was in Barre last week Tuesday.

Mrs. Richard Webster visited at Ernest Hayward's in Corinth last week.

A baby girl weighing 4½ lbs. was born Dec. 20 to Leander Dexter and wife.

Misses Marion Blood of Brattleboro and Blanche Blood of Middlebury are visiting at Norman McLam's.

Elliot Miller of Cavendish is visiting his mother Mrs. Miriam Morrison.

Victor Bromley of Goshen N. Y. is spending the holidays at home.

The pupils of Mrs. Miles school at the Four Corners enjoyed a Christmas Tree on the closing day of school Dec. 22. A goodly number of grownups and several children outside of the school were present.

A life long resident of this town Rufus D. Rowland died suddenly last week Thursday.

The village and Four Corners school are closed for two weeks vacation.

Verna Moulton is spending the Christmas holidays at home. Miss Moulton is taking a business course at Bay Path Institute, School of Business Training in Springfield, Mass. Because of the nature of the work undertaken at Bay Path Institute and because most of the students are taking courses with the idea of fitting themselves as quickly as possible for business careers, the Christmas holidays are only of one week's duration and all the time lost from school is made up later in the year by Saturday sessions. All of the students are planning to return to school for the opening on January 2, not only on account of the school work, but because of the big New Year's party to which all the students are invited on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 2.

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## State News

The annual meeting of the Green Mountain club will in Rutland Jan. 13. This club has 1,088 members. Charles P. Cooper of Rutland is president.

The lowest number issued this year from the secretary of state's office for automobile number plates, 100 went to Alonzo A. Hopkins of Cabot, who made his application last October. Charles C. Warren of Waterbury, who has had No. 1 for many years, will have for 1923 Nos. 101 and 102.

A. K. Johnson of St. Johnsbury, for 43 years affiliated with the St.

J. and L. C. railway, has been retired from active service and placed on the pension list. In the nearly half century Mr. Johnson was in the railroad business he was never in a serious accident, although 24 years ago he lost his left hand between cars while switching. He became 78 years old last October.

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## WEST FAIRLEE CENTRE

Our students who attend High Schools are at home for their vacation. Olive Chamberlain from Montpelier Seminary, Alice Marr, Carl Cook and Robert Morey from Lyndonville Academy.

Fred W. Brown has bought a new horse. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hatch and children went to Post Mills on Saturday to attend the Christmas exercises at the church, remaining over Sunday with sister and brother Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hatch.

Dennison B. Smith arrived from his work in Boston on Saturday to spend the holidays with his family.

Marian Miller who is teaching at Whitefield, N. H. is at home for the holidays.

Moberg and Bergdahl have taken a ten year lease from Wm. W. Russ of the old Coburn sawmill. It is their intention to put the mill in good repair and to do all kinds of custom sawing.

The school Xmas tree was held on Friday night at the church. The teacher Mr. Cadoo had prepared a program of recitations and dialogues. Several selections were rendered by the band after which presents from the tree were distributed. Each child received some gift from the teacher and a box of nuts and candy which was furnished by the Mothers Club.

Several from here attended the Xmas exercises given by the school children under the direction of their teacher Miss Alice Cook at West Fairlee on Friday evening.

## Servant Girl Wouldn't Go in Cellar, Fearing Rats

Mrs. Tepper, Plainfield, N. J., says, "Rats were so bad in our cellar the servant girl wouldn't go there. Bought some RAT-SNAP and it cleaned all the rats out." RAT-SNAP destroys rats and mice. Absolutely prevents odors. Comes in cake form, no mixing. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by—Sincos Pharmacy.

## LYME

The annual Congregational Church meeting and dinner was held last week Thursday. The weather was ideal and the attendance good. Gratifying reports were given by the different officers in the forenoon.

The chicken pie dinner prepared by Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Goodell and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Converse served promptly at noon by the efficient waitresses, Misses Theda and Thelma Melvin, Pearl Franklin, Pauline Whittemore, Dorothy Goodell and Dorothy Henry was fully appreciated.

The afternoon session was given to the election of officers and roll call.

Harriet A. Balch was unanimously re-elected clerk and D. A. Grant Treasurer. Two new deacons were elected, Luther L. Whittemore was elected a deacon for 10 years to fill Adna Chase place whose term expired and Fred A. Grant to fill David A. Grant's place. Ivan D. Fanchett was elected S. S. Supt. and Fred A. Grant Ass't. Supt. Mildred M. Grant Primary Supt. A. L. Washburn Cradle. Roll Supt. and Elmer F. Morrill Supt. of the Home Dept. The church letters sent out previous to the meeting were very well responded to.

Daddy Grobecker and his Swiss Yodlers filled the 3rd number of the Grange Lecture course and met the full approval of all by the hearty applause given them. The last number comes March 6th.

D. James Moran, son-in-law of Rufus Wilson died Dec. 22, after a long illness of diabetes, aged 36 yrs.

Ernest Woodwell of Enfield, N. H. and Phillip Woodwell High School instructor of Haverhill, Mass. came Sat. to visit their father's Rev. Geo. M. Woodwell's for the Christmas recess.

Miss Dorothy Dimick of Providence, R. I. is a guest in the Whittemore home.

A. J. Warren went to Claremont, N. H. Christmas Day to be with his children and grandchildren. He returned the following day being accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Vera Davis and grand son Clare Davis.

Mrs. Addie L. Morrison closed her house Tuesday and went to W. R. Junction to visit her brother and wife until Wednesday morning when she went to Newton, Mass. to be with Mrs. Marie Kingsbury a couple of months.

E. C. Perkins and Clayton Claffin returned from Post Pond Christmas Day bringing strings of pickerel and perch. Perkins' best pickerel weighed 1½ lbs.

Mrs. F. E. West is confined to her bed with grip.

Mrs. McMullen of the Alden House is gaining.

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## PIKE

Harry Bruce, who is employed at the present time in Hinsdale, N. H. spent the Christmas holidays in town.

Miss Marion K. Sheridan spent Christmas at the home of her parents in Whitefield, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Knight, Jr. were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bryant Christmas at Whetstone Inn.

Miss Florence Robinson R. N. of New York City was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glover were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Knight on Christmas day.

Archie Hall of Wells River spent the holidays in town as the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wing and family are enjoying a vacation with relatives in Boston.

Miss Helen Porter passed the holidays at her former home in Bedford, N. H.

The children of Bethany Sunday School rendered a most excellent Christmas program last Saturday evening in Fike Hall. Their efforts to please met the approval of the large audience which assembled for the occasion after the entertainment the usual Christmas exercises were held including an enormous Christmas tree, beautifully decorated and laden with gifts for the boys and girls.

A big New Year's Movie show has been arranged for Wednesday evening of next week. Eleven reels of fun and excitement will be run without advance in price of admission.

Miss Eva Breason spent Christmas with relatives in Lyndonville, Vermont.

Miss Georgia Hadley was the guest of her father James B. Hadley in Littleton over the holidays.

Miss Sarah Hathaway spent the Christmas holidays in Newbury at the home of her uncle Warren Bailey.

Mrs. Flora Trinnell is enjoying a vacation in Holyoke, Mass.

A team of Shetland ponies, the gift of E. Bertram Pike to his children caused considerable interest in town on Christmas day.

John B. Govan and W. H. Clark attended the sixty-fourth semiannual communication of the Masonic Grand Lodge in Manchester this week.

Mrs. Adele Miller who has been employed in the home of Henry I. Smith for several weeks, finished her duties there last Saturday and is spending a short vacation with relatives in North Haverhill.

Louis Osier spent the Christmas holidays at his home in St. Johnsbury.

Neiland Green of Bradford was the guest of his sister Miss Beulah Green over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gaudry were visitors in town Monday of this week.

Herman Morrill and Eric H. Blank are spending their Christmas vacations at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Blank and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith on Christmas Day.

## GLENCLIFF

Ed Hicks and William Belyea were in Warren on business, Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Washburn was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Hoyt at Pike, Tuesday.

Mrs. William Coates, Ethel, Charlie and Susie Coates, were in Woodsville shopping, Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Bowles of Pike was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coates, Tuesday night.

Miss Nellie Little was in Woodsville Tuesday on business.

George, Joseph and Pauline Harvey of Warren were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Fred Chasson, the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary Belyea was very sick the first of the week, and Dr. Ladd of Wentworth was called.

Mrs. Etta Kilgore returned from her visit in Auburn, N. H., Monday night, and was a guest of Mrs. H. H. Washburn, returning to her home in Norway, Me., Wednesday.

Fred Wilkinson was in the place calling on old friends the first of the week, and

went to Woodsville Thursday to visit his niece, Mrs. Yeaton.

Mrs. William Fortier and two children of East Haverhill were guests of Mrs. Anley-Shelly several days the past week.

Gerald Stimpson went to Boston to have his eyes treated and Miss Mason is taking his place as night operator at the railroad station.

Clifton Whitcher has moved his family to East Warren, where he has work.

Fred Cavanan spent Christmas in Concord, N. H.

Mrs. Kenneth Pike, Phyllis and Althea Gould were in Woodsville, Friday.

Mr. Jerry Clough, our R. R. station agent, motored to Woodsville recently on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pike and Phyllis were in Pike, Sunday.

Fred Chasson's family entertained several of their relatives, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Washburn spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Martin in Woodsville.

Gilbert Coates has begun work at East Warren with team.

Leo Lorie is driving team for Moosilauke Bobbin Company.

Frescott Blake of Pike was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Phyllis Derosa, Saturday.

Arthur Brown went to Conway to spend Christmas with Mrs. Brown.

## ORANGE COUNTY FARM BUREAU NOTES

Meetings for the consideration of the tabulations of the Farm Management Survey which was taken in Randolph and Royalton last Spring were held in Randolph Center and Randolph on Monday and Tuesday evenings, respectively. Interesting facts regarding the range of prices for farm products were given as well as tables showing the influence of different factors on farm incomes. Mr. H. P. Young, Farm Management Specialist explained somewhat the object of the farm survey in these towns which is to be taken every year for five years. Farmers who are interested in knowing the actual conditions which control farm prices and how each farmer can best relate himself to the conditions should be interested in following the records from year to year. Randolph and Royalton were the two towns chosen in Vermont for the survey work because they were believed to be average towns.

At the meetings on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Mr. R. E. Elliott manager of the Addison County Farmers' Exchange and Mr. K. J. Kirk, General manager of the Vermont Farmers' Cooperative Livestock Marketing Ass'n. were present and presented the plans for continuing the Cooperative marketing of livestock.

On Wednesday and Thursday afternoons very interesting and successful Boys and Girls Club meetings at Thetford and Newbury were held. At each place clubs were organized with keeping of farm accounts as the main project. Mr. H. P. Young assisted at these meetings. Meetings of each club were planned for early in January.

On Friday night the Central Orange County Jersey Cattle Club held a public meeting at the Town Hall in Chelsea. The program consisted of a talk by Mr. Leonard Dunk, Eastern representative of the American Jersey Cattle Club illustrated by lantern slides and moving pictures. This meeting was well attended and very interesting from start to finish.

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